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Please see the below notice of requirement for sequence rules compliance, as previously provided to Applicant.

This application contains sequence disclosures at page 11, table 1, page 14, lines 14-15 and line 29, and page 15 lines 2-6, as well as in the claims, that are encompassed by the definitions for nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(a)(1) and (a)(2). However, this application fails to comply with one or more of the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.821 through 1.825 for one or more of the reasons set forth on the attached form "Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequences And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures". Wherein attention is directed to paragraph(s) 1.82 (c) and (e).

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